

## ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS USED IN THIS REPORT

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| BLM               | Bureau of Land Management  |
| BP                | Before Present   |
| CFR               | Code of Federal Regulations  |
| CMS               | Cultural material scatter  |
| CO                | Carbon monoxide  |
| DOI               | Department of Interior   |
| dv                | Deciview, a measure of view impairment                                 |
| EIS               | Environmental Impact Statement   |
| EPA               | Environmental Protection Agency  |
| F                 | Fahrenheit   |
| ft                | Foot, feet   |
| FWS               | U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service   |
| GIS               | Geographic Information Systems   |
| HABS/HAER         | Historic American Building Survey/Historic American Engineering Record |
| HAP               | Hazardous Air Pollutant  |
| IMPROVE           | Interagency Monitoring of Protected Environments                       |
| MLA               | Mineral Leasing Act of 1920  |
| NAAQS             | National Ambient Air Quality Standards                                 |
| NDAAQS            | North Dakota Ambient Air Quality Standards                             |
| NHPA              | National Historic Preservation Act                                     |
| NEPA              | National Environmental Policy Act of 1969                              |
| NO <sub>2</sub>   | Nitrogen dioxide   |
| NRCS              | National Resource Conservation Service                                 |
| NRHP              | National Register of Historic Places                                   |
| O <sub>3</sub>    | Ozone  |
| OSM               | Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement                   |
| PAP               | Permit Application Package, as submitted to PSC                        |
| PM <sub>2.5</sub> | Particulates finer than 2.5 microns in diameter                        |
| PM <sub>10</sub>  | Particulates finer than 10 microns in diameter                         |
| PSD               | Prevention of significant deterioration                                |
| PVT               | Private (Fee)  |
| PSC               | Public Service Commission, State of North Dakota                       |
| RMP               | Resource Management Plan   |
| SHPO              | State Historic Preservation Office                                     |
| SHSND             | North Dakota Comprehensive Plan for Historic Preservation              |
| SIP               | State Implementation Plan  |
| SMCRA             | Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977                     |
| SO <sub>2</sub>   | Sulfur dioxide   |
| TCP               | Traditional Cultural Property  |
| T&E               | Threatened and Endangered  |
| THPO              | Tribal Historic Preservation Office                                    |
| TRNP              | Theodore Roosevelt National Park                                       |
| WMA               | West Mine Area (permit area analyzed in this document)                 |